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For: MULTI-PLATE CLUTCH DEVICE AND	:	<i>AMENDMENT AFTER</i>
CLUTCH DISK ASSEMBLY	:	<i>FINAL OFFICE ACTION</i>
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the February 23, 2010 Office Action, Applicants submit the instant response:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page two (2) of this paper. Claims 1-36 are pending, with claims 1 and 20 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page fourteen (14) of this paper.